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MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL
FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b)

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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Title: **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR CHECKING BORES IN OR EDGES ON AN OBJECT OF MEASUREMENT**

APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (1) ☒ Patent Application Specification, including Abstract and claims - 28 pages
- (2) ☒ Three (3) sheet(s) of formal drawings, together with transmittal letter
- (3) ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the ☐ filing fee(\$.00) and/or ☐ Assignment Recordal Fee (\$40) is enclosed.
- ☐ Before calculating the fee, cancel claim(s)
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Basic Fee								\$	750.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (\$260.)									
Foreign Language Surcharge (\$130.)									
	For	No. Filed	-	No. Extra		Rate			
EXTRA	Total Claims	28	20	8	x	\$18.	=	\$.00
CLAIMS	Independent Claims	2	3	0	x	\$84.	=	\$.00
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- (4) ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney form
- a. ☐ Newly executed
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application
- c. ☐ Deletion of inventor(s) – signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application.

- (5) ☐ Small Entity Status

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

- (6) ☐ Assignment document
- a. ☐ Newly executed (with \$40.00 recordal fee) and separate transmittal Form PTO-1595
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application
- c. ☒ Please include assignee information when this application is published
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- (7) ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- (8) ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Document, together with separate transmittal letter
- (9) ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, together with PTO Form 1449 and copies of cited references
- (10) ☒ Return receipt postage prepaid postcard
- (11) ☒ Express Mail Certificate (Mailing Label No. EV 132074719 US)
- (12) ☒ Application Data Sheet
- (13) ☐ Other:

- (14) [X] If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application no.: **10/047,447 filed on January 14, 2002**

Prior application information:

Examiner: H. Pham Group/Art Unit: 2877

Status: Pending

FOR CONTINUATION or DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under paragraph 4(b) above, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

- (15) [X] Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
This application is a continuation-in-part of co-pending U.S. application serial no. 10/047,447 filed on January 14, 2002.
- (16) [X] This application claims the benefit of German Patent Application No. 102 32 131.0 filed on July 11, 2002 and German Patent Application No. 101 03 177.7 filed on January 22, 2001 .
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- (18) [X] Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.10 and 1.53, Applicants respectfully request that this application be assigned a serial number and a filing date of July 9, 2003, the date upon which the application was mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office by Express Mail (No. EV 132074719 US).

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